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PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

M. R. F. D. BUSH is hereby authorized to sign our firm per Procuration.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, September 22, 1881.

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ESTABLISHED myself as Merchant and General Commission Agent under the style of HERBERT DENT & Co.

HERBERT F. DENT.

Canton, September 1, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the sale of their GOODS by MESSRS KYNOCH & CO., of WITTON, near BIRMINGHAM.

MEYER & CO.

Hongkong, August 13, 1881.

Auctions.



PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have been instructed by the COMMISARY GENERAL OF ORDNANCE, China, to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 30th day of September, 1881, at 11 a.m., at Her Majesty's Ordnance Stores, Queen's Road East,—

The following

GOVERNMENT STORES.—

BLANKETS, CANVAS, CONDUITS, RUGS, SPROGS, CAST AND WRIGHT IRON, LEATHER, COTTON, LINEN AND WOOLLEN ARTICLES, WATERPROOF SHEETS, STEEL, TIMBER, TIN, OLD FILES, CAKES, PACKING CASES, EMPTY CEMENT BARRELS, LEATHER POUCHES, BUNTING, BOAT, IRON DRUMS, HORN LEAVES, UMBRELLAS, KNIVES, FORKS, BED MATS, CHAIN, BRAE-SOCKS, GLASS, HINGES, LEAD PIPE, MARLINE, WOODEN-TANES, LEAD LINED, PAVING TILES, SLATE SLABS, SCREWS, STOVES, PIPING, CLOUTS, PAINT BARRELS, STOCKS AND DIES, WHEELBARROWS, SHOVELS, PICK-AXES, PARTS OF LATRINES, AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

One IRON WATER TANK, 10,000 gallons CAPACITY.

Also,

The following ARTICLES OF CLOTHING, viz.—

BOOTS, CAPS, CAFFS, CRACOS, GREAT COATS, JACKETS, HATS, SOU' WESTERS, HELMETS AND TROUSERS.

And,

On the same day, at the rear of the Artillery Barracks, near the Water-side.

4 BATHING RAFTS,

comprising—

72 PORTER HOGHEADS AND FRAMEWORK.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All marks and errors of description at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

All Lots to be cleared within 48 hours.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., Auctioneers.

Hongkong, September 23, 1881.

#260

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

J. & B. LAURENT FRERES' Best COGNAC, No. 1 Gold Capula.

No. Do. Do. No. 1 Silver Capula.

ADMIRAL SEVARD & CO'S CLARET.

CHATEAU BRUNE MOUTON in Quarts.

AND LAROSE in Pints and Quarts.

Also, Flower & Sons' Bottled ALE.

SPARKLING HOCK.

SPARKLING MOSSELLE.

NIERSTEINER.

RUDESHEIMER.

LEIBERFRAUMILCH.

STEINWEIN.

Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, August 30, 1881.

#30

FOR SALE.

A BOUT 2,000 lbs MILLER & RICHARD'S Extra-hard Metal BOURGEOIS TYPE, No. 19, (somewhat worn but in fairly good condition).

Apply to

OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, July 22, 1881.

#27

To Let.

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ROOMS IN CLUB CHAMBERS, Possession from 1st October Next.

Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 9, 1881.

#30

TO LET.

N. 2, OLD BAILEY STREET.

And, No. 6, PEDDAR'S HILL.

Also, No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.

Hongkong, July 18, 1881.

#30

TO LET.

WINDSOR HOUSE,

Nos. 18 and 19, BUND, YOKOHAMA.

THE above well-furnished HOTEL commands a fine view of the Harbour and Shipping; and the building is surrounded by a large Verandah, which makes this resort the coolest Hotel in the East.

Charges—from £2.50 to £4 per day.

Porter to land and ship Baggage.

SMITH, SWIFT & CO.

Yokohama, Japan, Sept. 1881.

#28

TUITION-IN FRENCH LANGUAGE

by

MONSIEUR LOUIS PIRON, SR.

SINGING (CULTURE OF THE VOICE)

by

MONSIEUR EUGENE PIRON, JR.

44, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, August 30, 1881.

#28

A H Y O N & Co.

S H I P S C O M P R A D O R E,

STEVE DORE,

BALLAST AND WATER SUPPLIES,

Hongkong and Whampoa, of the same

Proprietors.

Keep on hand and for Sale, well assorted Oilmans' Stores and Seal of all kinds.

Shipping supplied at the shortest notice with all kinds of Ballast and fresh Provisions at moderate charges.

150, WING HING STREET.

Hongkong, June 10, 1881.

#1a82

Intimations.

FURNISHED OR UN-FURNISHED BEDROOM WANTED.

Address, stating Terms, &c., "B. K."

China Mail Office.

Hongkong, September 19, 1881.

#26

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All marks and errors of description at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

All Lots to be cleared within 48 hours.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., Auctioneers.

Hongkong, September 23, 1881.

#260

Intimations.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. COMPANY.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship

BELGIC, from San Francisco, &c.,

are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

C. H. HASWELL, JR., Agent.

Hongkong, September 22, 1881.

#29

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship

Volga, Commandant GUILAND,

will be despatched for YOKOHAMA on SUNDAY, the 25th Instant, at 8 a.m.

G. de CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, September 23, 1881.

#25

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship

Volga, Commandant DUZER,

will be despatched for YOKOHAMA on SUNDAY, the 25th Instant, at 12 o'clock.

G. de CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, September 23, 1881.

#25

NOTICE.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL.

The Steamship

Albany, Capt. WESTOBY, will be

despatched for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, August 6, 1881.

#25

NOTICE.

FOR NEW YORK.

The American Ship

Hoopy, W. W. FROST, Master, will

THE CHINA MAIL.

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE,
Ex French Mail Steamer.

FINEST ISIGNY BUTTER.
NOTLEY PRATT'S VERMOUTH.

Ex S. S. "Glencoe."
WEBLEY & SON'S
BREECH-LOADING GUNS—
CENTRAL FIRE.

Ex S. S. "Ulysses."
FINE NEW SEASIDE CUMSHAW TEA, in
5 and 10 catty Boxes.
BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

Ex "Highlander."

AT WHOLESALE PRICES.
200 kegs Fine American FURNISHING
NAILS, Nos. 3 to 12.

25 " American SPIKES, 4 inches to
7 inches.

50 barrels Prime American Mess PORK.
60 " Philadelphia Extra BEEF.

200 " Finest Strained ROSIN.

300 " City Tallow.

150 cases SPIRITS OF VERTEPENTINE.

100 barrels Dried APPLES.

500 cases FLORIDA WATER.

50 barrels American TAR.

15 " LAMP BLACK.

50 cases American CLOCKS.

COTTON DUCK, Canned BEEF, MUTTON, OYSTERS, LOBTERS, CORN TOMATOES, CORNED BEEF, Condensed MILK, Tomato CATSUP, HANDSPIKES, OAKUM, ASH OARS; MAPLE, ASH, and White Pine PLANKS.

Ex "Abbie Carter."
Florence COOKING STOVES,
SEAMERS and BRAILERS.

CORN BRIMSES.

India Rubber KNEE BOOTS.

AGATE WARE, in every variety of Kitchen Utensils.

Charter Oak COOKING STOVES.

Syrian COOKING STOVES.

BOURBON WHISKY.

Ex Steamers vid Suez Canal.

Douglas' OFFICE CHAIRS.

Morris GARDNER & Co.'s PERFORATED VENEER.

HIGH REVOLVING OFFICE CHAIRS.

ROCKING FOLDING CHAIRS.

DINING-ROOM CHAIRS.

LADIES' ROCKING CHAIRS.

The above we can highly recommend for office and domestic use, being admirably adapted to this climate.

Ex "Glenaff."

CROSS & BLACKWELL'S AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD STORES.

TAUNTON'S DESSERT FRUITS.

SAVOURY PATE.

GAME PATE.

PORK PATE.

OX PALATES.

HUNG (Hambo') BEEF.

HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS.

FRUIT for Ices.

SHERBET.

COCOA-TA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.

EPT'S COCOA.

ROBINSON'S GROATS.

GELATINE.

Russia OX-TONGUES.

French PLUMES.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

SARDINES.

ANCHOVIES.

Breakfast BACON.

ASPARAGUS.

MACCARONI.

VERMICELLI.

SAUSAGES.

MEATS.

SOUPS, &c., &c.

COPYING PRESSES.

EX AMERICAN MAIL.

Eastern and California CHEESE.

Boneless CODFISH.

Prime HAMS and BACON.

Russian CAVIARE.

Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.

PEACH and APPLE BUTTER.

PICKLED OX-TONGUES.

Family PIG-PORK in Eggs and pieces.

Paragon MACARONI in 5 lbs cans.

Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.

Cutting's Desert FRUITS in 24 lb cans.

" Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.

" Assorted SAUSAGE and Sausage MEAT.

" Stuffed PEPPERS.

" Assorted PICKLES.

" MINCemeat.

COMB HONEY in Original Frames.

Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted MEATS.

Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS.

" Lunch TONGUE.

Assorted American SYRUPS, for Summer Drinks.

McCarty's Sugar LEMONADE.

Clam CHOWDER.

Codfish BALLS.

Green TURTLE in 2½ lbs cans.

CALIFORNIA RACKER.

COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb

tins, and loose.

Alphabetical BISCUITS.

CRACKED WHEAT.

OATMEAL.

HOMINY.

CORNMEAL.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.

EYE MEAL.

SPICALLY SEASONED CIGARS.

WINES, SPIRITS, BEER AND AERATED Waters.

SHIPCHANDLERY of every Description.

BIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly executed.

Hongkong, September 24, 1881.

INSURANCES.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1830.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong, for the above Company, are engaged to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or Merchandise in the same, at Current Rates. RISKS on First Class Currents Reduced to ½ net premium per annum from this date.

GILMAN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—1, ROYAL EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in HONGKONG and CHINA for the above Company and prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts.

ADAMSON, BELL & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, May 3, 1881.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:

EDWARD PHILBY, Amer. barque, Capt. John Berry—Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

ELVIRA DOVAL, Hawaiian ship, Captain Jose M. Pimental—Captain.

INVINCIBLE, American ship, Captain Jas. F. Skeles—Barrett Company, Limited.

LOUISA, Germ. 3-masted schooner, Captain Schierholz—Edward Schellhass & Co.

OAKLANDS, British steamer, Captain J. Payne—Butterfield & Swire.

OCEAN, British steamer, Captain Henry Webber—Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

PEAN, American barque, Captain R. Howes—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

PRUDENCE, German barque, Capt. V. B. Diedrichsen—Carlowitz & Co.

R. ROBINSON, American ship, Captain L. Smith—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

STAR OF INDIA, British barque, Capt. H. D. Roe—Adamson, Bell & Co.

STONEWALL JACKSON, American barque, Captain Joseph Swain—Order.

THE TWEED, British ship, Captain J. M. Whyte—Russell & Co.

VELOCITY, British barque, Captain R. Martin—Pustau & Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY,

the 26th Instant, at Noon, at the Godown of Messrs CAWASSEE PALLANJEE & Co.,

40 BALES BOMBAY COTTON YARN,

Ex Steamship "Rosette,"

(More or less damaged by sea water),

For account of the concerned.

TERMS of SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1 K. All Lots, to all with faults and errors of description, to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

H. N. MODY, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, September 24, 1881.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Sept. 23, "Abay," British steamer, 386 H. Lightwood, Tamsui Sept. 17, Taiwanfu 20, Amoy 21, and Swatow 22, General.

Douglas LAFFRAIN & Co.

Sept. 24, "Hesperia," German steamer, 1136 G. Petersen, Foochow Sept. 22, Tamsui.

Sept. 24, "Chang Hock Kien," British steamer, 556 F. Webb, Singapore Sept. 18, 11 p.m.—General—BUX HIR CHAI.

Sept. 24, "Quinta," German steamer, 874 H. V. Thommen, Saigon Sept. 19, via Man tung, General—EDWARD SCHELLHAAS & Co.

Sept. 24, "Pewit," American barque, 836 R. Howes, Newquay (N.S.W.) July 20, Coal—ARNHOLD, KAHN & Co.

DEPARTURES.

Sept. 24, Herries, for Newchwang.

24 Lawer, for Newchwang.

24 Fransia, for Chefoo.

24 Gustav d. Marie, for Tournon.

24 Peter Friedrich Carl, for Batavia.

24 Julieck, for Manila.

OLIVERED.

Nemos, for Coast Ports.

Invincible, for London.

Chartie, for Tianjin.

Chang Hock Kien, for Swatow.

Haioua, for Hoihow, etc.

PASSINGERS.

ARMY.

Per Alroy, from Tainan, Co., 1 Euro.

per deck, and 38 Chinese.

Intimations.

TRADE MARK.—Sanctioned by H. M. Government.

HEALTH, STRENGTH, & ENERGY.

REALORS'.

HOSPHODYNE.

Trade Mark—HOSPHODYNE,

DISCOVERED AND SO NAMED, A.D. 1869.

BY R. D. LALOR, M. D.

DR. LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE is a Pure

Solution of Phosphorous in combination

with the Vegetable Alkaloids Quinine, Cynipidine,

Xanthoxylin, &c., prepared by a Chemical process

known only to DR. LALOR, producing a re-

markably elegant and pleasant Tasted Preparation

equal to the best Wines, perfectly free from

Starch, and all other Dangerous Active

Drugs; superseding the numerous objectionable

forms of Phosphorus Pills, Plaster, Oils, and

other Numerous Mixtures with which the Market

has been flooded since the Phosphoric Treatment

of Diseases was first made Public by DR. R. D.

LALOR, in 1869.

To Residents in India, China, and the

Colonies, it will prove invaluable as a

RELIABLE Liver Tonic and a

Vitalizing Restorative.

This Phosphoric combination, the Wonder of

Modern Chemistry, pronounced by the most

minent members of the Medical profession to

be unequalled for its power in replenishing and

elaborating the Vitality of the Body; by its

supplying all the essential constituents of the

BLOOD, BRAIN, and NERVE SUBSTANCE;

and for developing all the Powers and Functions

of the system to the highest degree; by its being

agreeable to the palate, and innocent in its

action. While retaining its wonderful properties,

it acts as a Specific, surpassing all the known

THERAPEUTIC AGENTS of the present day, for the

SPEEDY and PERMANENT CURE of all derangements of the Nervous and Blood Systems,

Nervous Prostration, General Debility, Mental

and Physical Depression, Incapacity for Study

or Business, Noises in the Head and Ear, Loss

of Energy and Appetite, Indigestion and Liver

Complaints, Flatulence, Nervous Fancies, Hypo-

chondria, Nervous Debility in all its Stages, Loss

of Memory, Softening of the Brain, Paralysis,

Affections of the Spinal Column, Lambs, Scatica,

Affections of the Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Deposits, &c., Ague, Spasms, Asthma, Consumption, Chronic Bronchitis, Scrofula and Sida Diseases, Rickets (in children), Wasting or

Withering of the Muscles, Impaired Nutrition,

Impoverished Blood, Premature Decline, and all

morbid conditions of the system, dependent upon

the deficiency of THE VITAL FORCES, whether

arising from Climate, Brain Feat, or whatever

cause.

DR. LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE being a

natural RESTORATIVE, its Energizing Effects are

not followed by corresponding reaction; but are

PERMANENT, and are frequently shown from the

first day of its administration by a remarkable

increase of Nervous Power, with a feeling of

Vigour, Strength, and Comfort, to which the

patient has long been accustomed. DR.

LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE gives back to the

Human structure in a suitable form the Phos-

phoric or lively Animating element of life which

has been wasted, and exerts an important in-

fluence directly on the BRAIN, SPINAL MARROW,

AND NERVOUS SYSTEM, of a Nutritive, Tonic,

and Invigorating character; thereby checking all

Wasting of the Vital Fluid, and the more Ex-

hausting Processes of Life, maintaining that

Bountiful Energy of the Brain and Muscular

System which renders the MIND CHEERFUL,

HAPPY, BRILLIANT, and ENERGETIC; entirely

overcoming that Dull, Inactive and Sluggish dis-

position which many persons experience in all

their actions. A Marvellous Restorative for

Brain Tumors, Clergymen, Business Men, and

all who are engaged in the Competitive Strug-

gle.

PHOSPHODYNE, the Antidote for Climatic

Diseases. The Remedial properties of DR.

LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE have spread in

the throughout every Nation and Colony in

the World, and the extent of which is, that

the sale has now become enormous in India,

China, Africa, and other Hot Climates. This

increased demand is attributable to the fact of

its possessing in the most perfectly assimilable

form the essential Vitalizing properties of

PHOSPHORUS, which reanimates the Ex-

hausted functions of life when impaired by

Heat or other causes. A very large number of

Testimonials from all parts of the World freely

afforded by Distressed, Pallid, Pale, Weak

Persons, Military, Naval, Scientific, and Infor-

mational Men, who are well known, speak of

their marvellous powers in Nervous Diseases, WANT

OF STAMINA, FEVERS, MALARIOUS DISEASES,

AND AS A LIVER TONIC.

PUBLIC NOTICE AND WARNING.—To

Medicine Vendors and the Public in Great

Britain, India, China, and the Colonies.—DR.

LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE is the only

Medicine bearing the name PHOSPHODYNE

that has the Endorsement of the British Government

and for which His Majesty's Register of "Trade

Marks" has granted him the sole right.

DR. R. D. LALOR IS THE ONLY

Holder of the Genuine PHOSPHODYNE.

BEWARE OF Men and Actionable Fraudulent

Imitations of my Trade Mark, Phosphodyne with

Fictitious addresses that may emanate from

Australia or America.

CAUTION.—The Name DR. LALOR'S

PHOSPHODYNE is shown in the glass of each

bottle, and the Genuine Phosphodyne is man-

ufactured at, and is obtainable only direct from

Dr. LALOR'S Laboratory, London, England.

WHOLESALE and EXPORT HOUSES are

especially requested to NOTE this, and to pass

their Intents through the London Houses, or

English Firms of known respectability ONLY,

to ensure their being supplied with the Special

Medicines prepared solely by Dr. Robert D.

LALOR, Esq., 10, Grafton Street, London.

England. Sold in Bottles at 4s. 6d. and 1s.

all Export, Wholesale, and Retail Medicine

Vendors throughout the World.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—Every Bottle bears

a British Government Stamp, with the words

Dr. LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE, London, England,

Received thereunto by Order of Her Majesty's

Apparatus Commissioners. IF NOT, IT IS A

FORGERY, and you have been imposed on by

a worthless Imitation.

The Phosphoric Treatment of Diseases, with

Cures past free, from

DR. R. D. LALOR,

Esq., House, 10, Grafton Street,

London, N.W.

Patentee, and originator of Phar-

macopeia.

The leading Chemists, Merchants

in London and India and China,

and all

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THE GREATEST
WONDER OF MODERN TIMES!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS

Lose experienced has proved these famous remedies to be

most effective in curing either the dangerous and

the slighter complaints which are more particularly in-

cidental to the life of a minor, or to those living in the

Occasional doses of these Pills will guard the system

against those evils which often beset the human race

and the frequent occurrences of such disorders as

stomach, &c., all other Dangerous Active

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Affections of the Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Depos

THE CHINA MAIL.

No. 5673 — SEPTEMBER 24, 1881.

Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

The widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of *Notes & Queries* on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

The China Review, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand it, and the circulation justify such extra matter.

The subscription is fixed at \$6.00 postage paid per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelago, and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to present a résumé in each number of the contents of the most recent works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Review department.

Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given when furnished to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though seeking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The *China Review* for July and August, 1879, 12th hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty-page, bi-monthly, repository of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Address *China Review*, Hongkong—*North-Western Christian Advocate* (U.S.).

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Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *a*, near the Kowlong shore *b*, and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked *c*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

- 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
- 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
- 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
- 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.
- 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
- 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
- 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
- 8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers							
Activ	Ravebeck	Dan. str.	268	Sept. 23	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Manila	K'loon Dock
Albay	Lightwood	Brit. str.	366	Sept. 21	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Amyo, Amoy	26th inst.
Alatans	Piiff	Brit. str.	787	Sept. 21	Jensen & Co.	Shanghai, etc.	To-morrow
Balice	Davidson	Brit. str.	1716	Sept. 21	O. O. S. Co.	Yamato & San Francisco	30th inst.
Brisbane	Craig	Brit. str.	891	Sept. 22	Gibb, Lumsden & Co.	Australian Ports	
Casperedi	Fraser	Brit. str.	769	Sept. 22	Russell & Co.	Swatow and Amoy	
Cheang Hock Kian	Webb	Brit. str.	956	Sept. 24	Bun Hin Chau	Shanghai	To-morrow
Chinkiang	Orr	Brit. str.	759	Sept. 22	Hannasen & Co.	Manila	
Emmy	Blanco	Span. str.	117	Sept. 24	Wapso Dock Co.	Tamsui, etc.	
Fame	Hunt'r	Brit. str.	278	May 18	13, K'loon & Wapso Dock Co.	Foochow	
Hailoone	Leopani	Brit. str.	112	Sept. 21	Amoy	Tongue, fresh, each	
Hesperia	Petersen	Ger. str.	1130	Sept. 23	Messageries Maritimes	" corned,	
Iraoudny	Dufier	Fch. str.	376	Sept. 23	23, Melchers & Co.	" Head,	
Juliette	Arias	Span. str.	1000	July 7	Captain	" Heart,	
Li Tai	John Tac	Span. str.	1337	Sept. 21	Geo. R. Stevens & Co.	Hump, salt, catty	
Meath	Johnson	Brit. str.	862	Sept. 21	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Fest., each	
Nanosa	Wetby	Brit. str.	710	Sept. 18	Interfield & Swire	Feet,	
Oaklands	Payne	Brit. str.	1033	Sept. 18	Geo. R. Stevens & Co.	Kidneys,	
Ocean	Webber	Brit. str.	1034	Sept. 18	London & Hamburg	Tai,	
Prinz Heinrich	Gottschalk	Brit. str.	1337	Sept. 22	27th inst.	Liver,	
Quins	Hoffmann	Brit. str.	933	Sept. 24	Edward Schellness & Co.	Tripe (undressed) catty	
Rajasthanianbar	Hopkins	Amer. str.	48	Nov. 24	Yuen Fat Hong	Calves' Head and Feet, set	
Sea Gull	Hill	Amer. str.	888	Aug. 15	China Traders' Insurance Co.	Leg, "	
Shue Tip	Yuen Man Fu	Amer. str.	996	Sept. 19	Captain	Shoulder,	
Tunis	Irvine	Brit. str.	1000	July 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Foot,	
Volga	Giraud	Fch. str.	376	Sept. 19	Messageries Maritimes	Fry,	
Sailing Vessels							
Alva	de Conza	Port. sh.	658	Aug. 16	Brandao & Co.	Newchwang	Cleared
Anna Dorothea	Jensen	Ger. bgo.	343	Sept. 11	Walter & Co.	Port Elizabeth, etc.	
Burwicks	Bruce	Brit. bgo.	533	Aug. 20	Gilman & Co.	Bangkok	
Bua Cao	Angie	Siam bgo.	338	Sept. 27	Yuen Fat Hong	London	
Carolita	McDowall	Brit. bgo.	674	Aug. 20	Carroll & Co.	Tiencin	
Charivit	Lorry	Fch. bgo.	267	Sept. 16	Carroll & Co.	Antigua	
Clara	Cutter	Brit. bgo.	1039	July 20	Vogel & Co.	New York	
Daniel Barnes	Steuer	Amer. bgo.	1483	July 18	Vogel & Co.		
Edmund Phinne	Berry	Amer. bgo.	761	Sept. 18	20, Geo. R. Stevens & Co.		
Elvira Dovale	Pimentel	Hawai. bgo.	1383	Sept. 18	9, Jacobs		
Figaro	Heinzl	Ger. bgo.	1007	Sept. 18	17, Melchers & Co.		
Flora	Eck	Ger. bgo.	1337	Sept. 18	18, Carroll & Co.		
G. F. Muniz	Stenzel	Brit. bgo.	1294	Sept. 18	9, Melchers & Co.		
Geraldine Paget	Wilkinson	Brit. bgo.	1353	Sept. 18	4, Captain		
Gustav & Oscar	Hartmann	Ger. bgo.	1547	Sept. 11	11, captain		
Hindostan	Belyea	Brit. bgo.	1158	Sept. 23	24, Russell & Co.		
Hoogly	Frost	Amer. bgo.	1158	Sept. 23	13, Edward Schellness & Co.		
Bumboldt	Stall	Brit. bgo.	1450	Sept. 23	14, Edward Schellness & Co.		
Invincible	Skewes	Brit. bgo.	844	Sept. 23	15, Vogel & Co.		
Johnanna	Fuendeling	Brit. bgo.	203	Sept. 23	16, Chinese		
Kim Soon Hoat	Berg	Span. bgo.	245	Sept. 23	23, Edward Schellness & Co.		
Louisa	Schleif	Brit. bgo.	1453	Sept. 23	25, Russell & Co.		
Mericina	Schmid	Span. bgo.	1147	Sept. 23	18, Russell & Co.		
New Era	Dee	Brit. bgo.	864	Sept. 23	19, Carroll & Co.		
Prudencia	Diderichsen	Ger. bgo.	1652	Sept. 23	14, Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
R. Robinson	Smith	Amer. bgo.	1652	Sept. 23	23, Siemssen & Co.		
Smyrnite	Olens	Brit. bgo.	339	Sept. 23	24, W. H. Ray		
Spartan	Vinson	Amer. bgo.	1040	Sept. 23	19, Vogel & Co.		
Star of India	Roe	Brit. bgo.	1102	Sept. 23	16, Order		
Stonewall Jackson	Seawin	Amer. bgo.	740	Sept. 23	28, Russell & Co.		
Summer	Whyte	Brit. bgo.	1745	Sept. 23	8, Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
The Twiss	Vorath	Siam. bgo.	474	Sept. 23	15, Siemssen & Co.		
Thian Kramon	Norris	Amer. bgo.	1229	Sept. 23	29, Geo. R. Stevens & Co.		
Velocite	Martin	Brit. bgo.	490	Sept. 23	11, Puttan & Co.		
Wagstaff	Dibben	Amer. bgo.	179	Sept. 23	26, Vogel & Co.		
Wm. Hale	Dickey	Amer. bgo.	868	Sept. 23	13, Ad'man, Bell & Co.		
CANTON							
Amoy	Herrmann	Brit. str.	814	Sept. 22	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	

Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Dates of Arrival.	Commander.

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